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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Feinstein, et al

Serial No. 09/825,682 Group Art Unit:

Filed: 04/04/2001 Examiner:

For: SEQUENCES CHARACTERISTICS OF BLADDER CANCER

Our File No.: 0168.00106

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above application prior to
consideration of the application on its merits.